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FAST ARMED SILK SPECIAL GOES THROUGH RICHMOND

Nine Cars of Goods Worth Into Six Figurs Going Faster Than Mail to New York

Nine carloads of silk, en route for New York, passed through Richmond today over the Santa Fe for the big Eastern metropolis.

The shipment is from Japan, and shows that notwithstanding the war, commerce in the things that help make "my lady" beautiful, goes on with unabated fury. With all this silk in the hands of the manufacturers, the girls can again have their choice of several variegated hues of neckwear, the ladies will have a chance to select the very latest and best in lingerie, such as, ahem, well, stockings, for instance, and—you know, those what-

chicallums that look so pretty in the windows.

This is a special train and it goes across the continent on a very fast schedule, faster than mail, and it is under heavy guard.

The silk special has the right of way over everything on the line. The train left Richmond Sunday and it is expected that it will arrive in New York early Wednesday.

The value of the cargo runs into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

If it ever gets wrecked, the scene of the catastrophe will look as though somebody has killed a few Italian sunsets all over the landscape.

REUNION OF LARGE PROMINENT FAMILY

A reunion of the Ware family took place Saturday at Golden Gate Park, at which there were assembled many relatives. Mrs. Henry Ehlers and son of Richmond were there to represent this community, they residing in the north section of the city.

Sights of the park were enjoyed, as was a sumptuous picnic lunch, and the entire day was spent talking over old times and family matters. Among the members of the Ware family present were:

Mrs. Edna Andrews of Crete, Neb.; Mrs. Eva Barnes of Thermopolis, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corbin and son, San Jose; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ware and two sons, Martinez; Miss Leola Ware, Mar. Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Ware, Miss Quena Ware, Wilma Ware, Jessamine Ware, Stockton, Cal.; Mrs. Henry Ehlers and son, Richmond; Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Florence Stinson, Mrs. May Little, Muriel Little, San Francisco; Mrs. Laura Pack and two daughters, Oakland; Mrs. W. J. Duffy, Eugene Duffy, San Quentin; Mrs. Beate Landor, San Francisco.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

Domestic economy under the head of "Systematic Housekeeping as a Labor Saver," was the theme discussed ably by Mrs. W. W. Felch, president of the Richmond Club, at the meeting yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Felch talked entertainingly of the various methods of introducing system into the home to the end that household tasks would be less arduous. Mrs. Katherine Smith read a paper on "Arts and Crafts in the Home." It proved most instructive. Tea was served by Mrs. S. Dalve as hostess.

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SAVINGS

LOCAL SCHOOLS HONOR ABE LINCOLN

The 108th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln was celebrated at the total public schools yesterday, in keeping with the annual custom in vogue over the United States. The married President was made the subject of song and story and patriotic speech in all of the schools of Richmond. The pledge to the flag was taken in many of the schools and Old Glory was saluted by hundreds of children. One of the most popular selections was Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, which will go down in the world's history as a masterpiece of patriotic English.

Space will not permit of a mention of all those who took a prominent part in the exercises, but several of the old G. A. R. members were on hand to tell the young people about the man and the times which they honored yesterday. Among the Grand Army men who participated are: Henry Galvin, Levi Bowell, C. H. McCausland, Gardner, Pohl, Webster, Ditzel, Washburn, Winton, Herrick, Neill, Burton, Allan, Chambers; N. A. Heath of Utah, J. A. Glenn of Ohio and J. Herrick of Seattle.

CLUB MENDELSSOHN ANNUAL TEA TODAY

The annual tea of Club Mendelssohn will be held this afternoon in Bank hall. Following is the program:

Piano solo (selected), Miss F. Moyle. Recitation (selected), Mrs. F. Dunlap. Solo—Mrs. E. M. Ferguson. (a) "The Gipsy Trail," words by Kipling, music by Galloway. (b) "Sweet Miss Mary."

Piano, with Edison phonograph. Mrs. W. E. Cunningham. "The Wedding of the Winds," Hall. Cornet solo (selected), Miss E. McKee. Recitation, "The Nightingale and the Rose" (Oscar Wilde).

Mrs. F. E. Adams. Accompanied by Mrs. Cunningham. Solo. (a) "Red, Red Rose." (b) "Open Secret."

NAVAL BASE BOARD IS HEADED FOR CAPITAL

With a complete plan for the construction of a great naval base in San Francisco bay mapped out and ready for presentation to the secretary of the navy within the next month, the commission on naval yards and stations, of which Rear Admiral James M. Helm is chairman, is speeding toward Washington today. The commission left the St. Francis Hotel Sunday night, not many hours after its return from Monterey, where the members of the board went to look over Monterey bay as a possible site for a submarine base.

Certain borings are under way that will show the character of the bottom of the bay, and how great a weight it can stand.

Such borings have been made at the Richmond-Albany site, but the commission has asked for more funds to continue the borings there.



WHAT LINCOLN SAID.
I do the very best I can; and I mean to keep doing so until the end. If the end brings me out all right, what is said against me won't amount to anything. If the end brings me out wrong, ten angels swearing I was right would make no difference.

NEWS FROM THE POINT

A whist party will be given tomorrow at the Lady of Mercy hall. The committee: Mrs. E. McDuff, Mrs. J. McCann, Mrs. W. Payne and Mrs. J. E. Garvin. Score cards will be 25 cents. Refreshments will be served.

Lincoln Day was celebrated Sunday afternoon at the Winhaven school, where there are 25 pupils. There were recitations and songs. Remarks were made by Comrade Neill, and W. T. Helms made a talk on Lincoln. The talk by Mrs. J. E. Moyle, on the care of the flag, was instructive. The pupils made a pledge to the flag.

Lincoln Day was celebrated yesterday by the Washington school students, of which there are 440. A. C. Lang made a short talk and Comrade Neill spoke entertainingly of the G. A. R. Mrs. Moyle made a short talk on the care of the flag, and the students made a pledge to the Stars and Stripes. Lincoln's address at Gettysburg was given by Margaret Dowling, and Comrade Chambers told about Sherman's march to the sea. "America" was sung by the pupils.

Mrs. Burton is ill at her home on Nicholl avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Golden are here on a visit to Mr. Golden's brother on Nicholl avenue. They expect to locate here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Asbury of Macdon, Mo., are here on a visit to J. O. and G. W. Ford, with whom they went to school many years ago.

"NOBODY HOME."

It begins to look as though there was "nobody home" in Ed Mullins' think attic. Some months ago the husky sailor from off a Standard Oil tanker tried to suicide by carving his wrists and doing some freecroing across his stomach with a knife, after which he jumped out of a second-story window. He did sufficient to himself to wind up the career of about three ordinary human beings. But he got well. Sunday night the police found him wallowing around on the street car tracks in an evident attempt to commit suicide. He had a cargo of spirits aboard, which may account for his actions. In fact, it does account for 'em. However, his mentality will be looked into.

DEATH HALTS ELK MINSTREL SHOW

"Postponed on account of death, until February 23. Tickets may be redeemed at Lang's drug store."

Such was the notice, posted on the door at the Elks club last evening, when crowds of people, on foot and in autos, wended their way there to attend the big minstrel and musical show which was to have been given for the benefit of the new Christian church building fund.

No one knew who was dead or any of the particulars, so, departing, a disappointed and sorrowful crowd went their way. The Elks themselves did not know of the sorrow that came to them because of the death of a prominent brother and the dying condition of the wife of another brother, until about 7 o'clock last night, when it was telephoned them from Berkeley and Oakland.

ALBERT GIDDINGS DEAD.

Albert Giddings, long and well known to every Elk around the bay as "Birdie" Giddings, passed away last evening at the Merritt hospital in Oakland, where he had been ill for some time. He was a prominent employee of the Standard Oil company here in Richmond, as chief time keeper, and had been with the company ever since it came to Richmond, and for years with them back East. He made his home at the Elks club here, being a bachelor with only one living relative, a sister back in Washington, D. C. "Birdie" was beloved by hundreds of friends and will be greatly missed. He was 75 years of age. The funeral will be held probably tomorrow or next day under the auspices of Berkeley lodge of Elks, with whom he was affiliated.

A possibility of the death of the actress was that it occurred on the anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, in that he was present then a boy, at the Ford theater at Washington the night Lincoln was assassinated by J. Wilkes Booth.

MRS. ANDERSON DYING.

At about the same time the message arrived of the death of Giddings another came, stating that the wife of Bert Anderson, well known Oakland Elk, was dying and could not live the night out. Anderson was to be head man of the minstrel part of the show here at the local lodge, and his band of Oakland Elk minstrels were coming with him, and of course the sudden bad turn for his wife put an end to that part of the entertainment here, as his fellow entertainers did not feel like coming, either, under the circumstances.

ALL WEEK SERVICES.

Special services will be held every night this week at the First M. E. church, Rev. Gillette officiating. Rev. A. C. Stevens of Berkeley and Gustavus Schneider, a noted singer, will assist the pastor. There was a large crowd present last night.

A LINCOLN WINDOW.

Smith & Crane, successors to A. Winfree, have a very pretty and artistic Lincoln window at their clothing store. It came in for a great deal of favorable comment yesterday.

WEDNESDAY WHIST CLUB.

The Wednesday Whist Club will conduct another whist party tomorrow afternoon. Score cards will be 25 cents each, and there will be elegant prizes.

WEATHER.

Fair today; light northwest wind.

FINANCIAL FREEBOOTERS DEMAND ARMED SHIPS

Money-Mad Munition Kings Seek to Plunge Country Into War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Senator La Follette opened a fight in the Senate this afternoon to prevent the arming of American merchant vessels.

He introduced a resolution declaring it unlawful in time of peace for any American merchant vessel to be armed or to leave any port of the United States for any foreign port if armed. He asked that the resolution be laid on the table temporarily and gave notice he would call it up for action soon.

P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, today made formal application to the Navy Department for guns to arm the passenger liners of the American line.

The request states that the company has been unable to find guns elsewhere.

It is indicated that the Navy Department, while opposed for military reasons to any project of arming American merchantmen through the prohibited submarine zones, favors furnishing such ships with guns for their own defense.

Back of this plan to arm American merchant ships are the big industrial manufacturers and shippers of goods and other products from this country to the alien. They are making millions and hope to induce the government to protect them, to the last extremity. They will hide their intentions behind a mask of patriotism and make the claim that international law and the rights of this country should be protected, by armed force if necessary.

LADIES' AUXILIARY.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Trinity church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. H. G. Briggs on Eleventh street. They will meet the first Tuesday in each month.

LECTURE THIS EVENING.

A lecture will be given this evening at 322 Sixth street by Miss Elliott of Oakland on the subject of self-reliance. Every one is welcome.

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Editorial Comment

GEORGE SAYS TOO MUCH RECALL.

W. H. George, manager of the Cowell Cement Works in this county, and who owns property in the interior of the county, writes to the Concord Transcript about the threatened recall of Supervisor Vincent Hook, and states some very salient facts.

Supervisor Hook routed a county road differently than some of his constituents wanted it routed. It is a fine concrete road and the reason they wanted it routed differently was so it could come by way of their property—which, of course, is sense and logic—nit. So they threaten a recall election.

Mr. George remarks, among other things in his article to the Transcript, that he also owns three acres along where the kickers want the road routed, but does not consider that sufficient reason for a recall of Supervisor Hook, and also that he considers that the recall business is being overworked.

Mr. George is right. The recall, referendum, initiative and kindred reform legislation was enacted to correct evils, and not to furnish a vent for personal spleen. Just because such laws are on our statute books is no sign they are to be invoked every time some person or persons get a new grouch on. They should be used only in dire necessity cases.

Public officials should be made to do that which is right, but they are just as human as anybody else, and not infallible. Those who do the most complaining would probably fall short of doing as well.

These constant recall and other similar elections are very expensive, and eat up lots of the taxpayers' money, and they are usually lost at the showdown. Better go slow.

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There are openings here for every branch of business. We need men of brain and brawn to help in the work there is to do, and we pay them better wages than any other state in the country does, and better remuneration is the reward of those in all lines of business.

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Here the roses and millions of other beautiful flowers grow all the year round. Here the fruit hangs luscious upon the laden trees. Here the climate is a dream, equable, even temperature, neither hot or cold, just simply lovely all the time. No snow, no storms, no freezing cold and blistering heat. It is the finest climate in the world, and everybody who comes here falls in love with it.

And as soon as you get into California, come to Richmond and look around. No city in the state is growing like this one is, and its future is so great that it is almost beyond belief. Articles giving all the news of this great and growing city will constantly appear in this paper, and by keeping in touch with it you will also keep in touch with Richmond. Parties abroad or outside who desire any information can obtain it reliable and right by addressing this office, or any real estate man whose advertisement appears in these columns.

Francis Heney of California has been named to help the Government in its investigation and perhaps prosecution of the paper trust. Witnesses are now being examined, and it is thought the paper combine is guilty of restriction of trade under the anti-trust law. The New York Grand Jury is also after them, and we certainly hope they get what is coming to them. That a rise of two hundred per cent in the prices of paper is due to the war is about one hundred per cent d— lie, and every newspaper publisher and printer in the land knows it, but is helpless.

President Wilson has ordered the Federal Trade Commission to thoroughly probe the food trust and get at the bottom of the facts of this highway robbery prices on the necessities of life. The Department of Agriculture will also assist in the investigation, and a drop in the high cost of living may be expected now before very long. The public is being robbed with barefaced affrontery, and it is high time the Government of the United States took hold and put a stop to it—also put a lot of food pirates in the Federal penitentiaries where they belong.

Sometimes when a fellow nails a horseshoe on the door for luck he feels next day like pulling it down and throwing it at his fellow man.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Pietro Accornero, Plaintiff, vs. Angela Accornero, Defendant.
No. 1241, Dept. No. 1.
Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Contra Costa.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO ANGELA ACCORNERO, Defendant.
YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR, and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere. This action is brought to dissolve the bonds of matrimony existing between Pietro Accornero, the above named plaintiff, and Angela Accornero, the above named defendant upon the ground of wilful desertion.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 27th day of November, A. D. 1916.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 27th day of November, A. D. 1916.
By C. S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk
SEAL OF THE COURT
David Cameron, 707 Macdonald Ave., Richmond, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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Ernest E. Mosely, plaintiff, vs. Ernest E. Mosely, defendant.
Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Contra Costa.
The People of the State of California send Greeting to Ernest E. Mosely, defendant:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 27th day of September, A. D. 1916.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
By S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.
W. D. GRADY, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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"TEMPTATION" AT THE POINT.
The statement that Geraldine Farrar is the type that can play only heavy dramatic roles is repudiated in her second production, "The Temptation," which will be the attraction at the Point on Tuesday, and those who saw her splendid performance as the half-wild gypsy in the Lasky production of "Carmen" will receive an agreeable surprise. As the struggling young opera singer in love with the penniless composer, Miss Farrar shows the lovable side of her wonderful character. What she endures rather than leave him, the beautiful tenderness she shows when they are together are expressed as only Geraldine Farrar can express them. Which is to say, as no other actress can express them.

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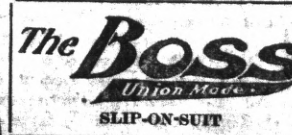
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SYNOPSIS

Roberta, an orphan, half French, half American, starting for America to stay with an uncle, meets Count de Lasselles, comes to secure mules for France. The governor's honor is involved in the mule deal.

By a mistake, Roberta's uncle believes she is a nephew. Knowing him to be a woman, he later adopts her as his daughter. Her uncle, General Carruthers, informs his supposed nephew that he needs his knowledge of French to straighten out a deal for procuring mules for France. The governor's honor is involved in the mule deal.

Roberta pledges her aid and is introduced to Governor Paulkner and to his private secretary, Buzz Glendinning.

Mrs. Jeff Whitworth is deep in the mule scheme with her husband and endeavoring to get the governor's signature to the transaction.

The governor gives a dinner to Roberta, who has been made private secretary to him. She matches her wits against Mrs. Whitworth.

Roberta examines specifications of the proposed deal. Mrs. Whitworth tries to pump Roberta and makes love to her.

CHAPTER VIII.

"GOOD morning, Robert," said the Governor Paulkner to me as I came and stood opposite him at the edge of his wide desk the following morning. And he smiled at me with a great gentleness that had also humor playing into it from the corners of his eyes and mouth. "I'm afraid that you've landed in the midst of a genuine case of American hustle this morning after."

Here are two lists of specifications, one in English weights and measurements and the other in French. I want you to compare them carefully, checking them as you go, and then rechecking them. I want to be sure they are the same. Also make a good literal translation of any notes that may be in French and compare them with the notes in English. Do you think it can be done for me by 3 o'clock, in time for a conference I have at that hour?"

With which request he, the Governor Paulkner, handed me two large sheets of paper down which were many long columns of figures.

"Don't mind," I said to myself under my breath, for always I have had to count out the pieces of money necessary to give to Nannette for the washer of the linen at the Chateau de Gres upon the fingers of my hands, which often seemed too few to furnish me sufficient aid. But in a small instant I had recovered my courage, which brought with it a determination to do that task if it meant my death.

"Yes, your excellency," I answered him with a great composure in the face of the tragedy.

"Well, and the small office between my office and that of General Carruthers empty. A ring of the bell under the desk means for you to come to me. I'll try not to interrupt you. Two rings mean to go to the general. That is about all." With a wave of his hand the Governor Paulkner dismissed me.

With my head up in the air I turned from him and prepared to retire to my prison, from which I could see no re-

thing that was like unto a spark shot from the depths of his eyes into the depths of mine. "Go get the papers verified and let me know when you have finished." And this time I was in reality dismissed. I went, but in my heart was a strange smolder that the spark had kindled.

In the small room that opened off that of the Governor Paulkner, with a door that I knew to lead into the room of my uncle, the General Robert, seated myself at a table by a window which looked down upon the city spread at the foot of the Capitol building shimmering in the young sunbeams that drifted across its hazy top. I laid down the papers, took a peep from a tray close beside my hand and then faced the most dreadful of an situation that I had ever brought down upon my own head. I also faced at the same time the smiling countenance of my Buzz, who looked into the door from the room of my uncle, the General Robert, slipped through that door and closed it gently behind him.

"Safe on first base! The old boy of old payones has been called to the governor, and he'll not be back before they both have luncheon sent in to them. I have taken his letters, and now I'm off. What did Bill hand you?"

"Death and also destruction." I answered in an expulsive tone used by my father in times of a catastrophe, and with those words I showed to my Buzz the two long papers.

"Shoo; that's no job! I looked over and verified this one myself yesterday in ten minutes. Hello; this other one is in French! Just run it through, and if it is to tally call it, and I'll hold this one. We can do it in fifteen minutes. Go ahead from the top line across." And my Buzz held the paper in his hand as he seated himself in readiness upon the corner of my desk beside me.

"Oh, my Buzz, I have such a mortification that I cannot add one to another of these long figures! When I place one number to another I must use my fingers, and in this case you see that it is impossible." Tears I did not allow in my eyes, but they were in my voice, and I looked into the eyes of my Buzz with a great terror.

"What is it that I shall do? I am in disgrace."

SOCIAL INSURANCE

Cannot Take Place of Unions in Relieving Causes of Poverty.

During the month of December a national conference on social insurance was held in Washington. The conference was arranged by the federal bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor. As the advocates of social insurance have of late pressed their theories upon the public attention, this conference was of importance and interest. There were many viewpoints presented and many theories advanced. It was evident that there were represented two diametrically different groups of thinkers: those who were looking upon the problem of the wage earners from the outside and viewing them with sympathetic concern and benevolent thought, and those who were looking upon the problems of wage earners through the experience and eyes of wage earners. The one group wanted to do something for wage earners to relieve their suffering and need. The other group wanted to do something for itself to solve its own problems and to establish itself in a position to take care of the emergencies of life.

After all had presented their thoughts and courses of action it was evident that the consensus of opinion was in favor of maintaining voluntary institutions. This fundamental fact stood out paramount, that social insurance cannot remove or prevent poverty. It does not get at the causes of social injustice. The only agency that does get at the causes of poverty is the organized labor movement. Social insurance in its various phases of sickness insurance, unemployment insurance, death benefits, etc., only provides the means for tiding over an emergency. The labor movement aims at constructive results—higher wages, which mean better living for workers and those dependent upon them, better homes, better clothing, better food, better opportunities and shorter hours of work, which mean relief from overfatigue, time for recuperation, workers with better physical development and with sustained producing power. Better physical development is in itself an insurance against illness and a certain degree of unemployment. The short hour workmen with higher wages become better citizens, better able to take care of themselves—American Federalists.



"These are going to be some hard days for us all."

lease, when again I heard his summons. He had risen and was standing beside his desk, and as I turned he held out his hand into which I laid mine as he drew me near to him.

"Youngster," he said, and the smile which all persons call cold was all of gentleness into my eyes, "these are going to be some hard days for us all, these next ten, and if I drive you too hard back, will you?"

"To the death for you I'll go, my Gouverneur Paulkner," I answered him, looking straight into his faded eyes that were so deep under the black silver tipped wings of his brows. I did not mean that death I had threatened myself from the mathematics in the paper, but in my heart there was something that rose and answered the madness in his eyes with again all that savagery of a barbarian.

"Then I'll take you to the point of demise—almost—if I need you," he answered me, with a laugh that hid a quiver of emotion in his voice as some-



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6:26 am	No. 13 from Portland and North	7:30 am
6:52 am	No. 87 from Bakersfield, Modesto and Martinez	7:50 am
7:08 am	No. 23 from Tonopah and Reno	8:10 am
8:15 am	No. 41 from Livermore and Vallejo	9:10 am
8:35 am	No. 19 Stops let off passengers from East of Ogden	9:30 am
9:10 am	No. 1 Stops let off pass. from E. of Cheyenne	10:10 am
9:19 am	No. 81 From Tracy, Colistoga and Santa Rosa	10:10 am
10:15 am	No. 45 from Sacramento and way points	11:10 am
10:37 am	No. 47 Stops for passengers from north of Davis	11:30 am
12:15 pm	No. 49 From Los Angeles, Modesto and Martinez	1:10 pm
12:25 pm	No. 127 **Except Sunday, from Port Costa	1:20 pm
3:32 pm	No. 29 from Sacramento	4:20 pm
4:15 pm	No. 109 From New Orleans, Los Ang. and Martinez	5:10 pm
4:48 pm	No. 15 Stops let off passengers from Portland	5:40 pm
5:05 pm	No. 43 From San Ramon, Colistoga and Santa Rosa	5:50 pm
5:21 pm	No. 129 From Avon and Martinez	6:10 pm
5:41 pm	No. 21 From Gorb and Sacramento	6:20 pm
6:47 pm	No. 27 From Sacramento	7:50 pm
6:55 pm	No. 5 From Chicago	7:50 pm
7:59 pm	No. 83 From Bakersfield, Modesto and Martinez	8:50 pm
9:45 pm	No. 309 From Colfax	10:40 pm
10:15 pm	No. 85 From Fresno, Newman and Martinez	11:20 pm

Leave S. F.	East Bound—From San Francisco	Ar. Richmond
11:40 pm	No. 86 for Martinez, Modesto and Bakersfield	12:31 am
6:20 am	No. 28 for Sacramento and Dunsmuir	7:10 am
6:20 am	No. 36 for Martinez, Newman and Fresno	7:13 am
7:20 am	No. 22 for Sacramento	8:03 am
8:00 am	No. 42 for Colistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon	8:46 am
9:00 am	No. 84 for Martinez, Modesto and Bakersfield	9:46 am
9:00 am	No. 24 for Sacramento, Reno and Tonopah	9:51 am
9:40 am	No. 126 For Port Costa	10:28 am
10:20 am	No. 20 Flag, stop for passengers east of Ogden	11:09 am
10:40 am	No. 8 for Martinez, Bakersfield and Los Angeles	11:30 am
11:40 am	No. 14 for Sacramento, Dunsmuir and Portland	12:30 pm
12:55 pm	No. 19 Flag, stop for passengers east of Ogden	1:33 pm
1:40 pm	No. 46 for Sacramento and Oroville	2:45 pm
2:40 pm	No. 44 for Colistoga, Santa Rosa and Livermore	3:46 pm
4:00 pm	No. 50 For Tracy and San Joaquin Valley	4:46 pm
4:00 pm	No. 2 Flags for passengers East of Cheyenne	4:53 pm
5:05 pm	No. 48 for Sacramento and Chico	5:45 pm
6:00 pm	No. 56 For Tracy	6:53 pm
6:40 pm	No. 6 for Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Chicago	7:33 pm
8:20 pm	No. 16 Flag, stop for Crockett, Sacto. and Portland	9:13 pm

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By the OLD MAN.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred LaMoine and Mr. and Mrs. Carl LaMoine motored to Placerville yesterday.

There was no meeting of the city ade last night. It being a legal holiday, and the regular weekly stunt will be pulled off tonight. We hope the glass front ordinance gets by this time without further fireworks.

The Richmond Pharmacy has a lot of very handsome gifts on display in the window, for the pre-lenten whilst party and dance to be given for the benefit of Father Griffin's St. Mark's church, Saturday evening, February 17. The party will occur at Woodman's hall in the Pillow Building.

Councilman Osborn and a man named Williams bumped into each other's autos last evening at Eighth and Macdonald, but nothing was hurt but the dignity and tempers of the drivers. It was nobody's fault, but was like Ada's leg—it broke itself.

Saturday night we handed in an item about Mr. Brown, who is a relative to Dad Brock, shipping up a lot of fresh ripe tomatoes on a steamship from Old Mexico, and after we got through our stunt and

sought the hay at midnight, that dodgasted Will Davis went and canned the entire load of tomatoes, and it so appeared. Canned tomatoes! And he screamed in his own department about me mopping up the floor with him! I have too much regard for the floor.

Moore, Stark and Brown of the Bay and River line of steamers were pleasant callers last evening. They are out for business, as per notice elsewhere, and as they are live wires they will get it in large and copious doses. Charley Donnelly was piloting them around, and when they connect up with the municipal wharf with a passenger service to S. F. he will likely connect up also, somehow or other.

Workmen, here is a pointer for you: Your employers are now carefully scanning the endorsements on your pay checks, to see who cashes them for you, and if the endorsement is by a saloon man, there is a mark made opposite your name on the record book which is anything but a credit mark. Better cash your checks at the bank.

The Richmond G. A. R. vets and the women's corps are a fine lot of people, not so young as they were back in '61, but hale and hearty, in the main, yet. When we die we hope we go where they are going, for that will be good enough.

Vernon Dunn and Rosa Beck are now both Dunn, having committed matrimony yesterday, according to license report.

What's the independent getting another talking machine for? Ain't Newsom enough?

Business is picking up over at the Point and there will be much building going on there as soon as spring opens. Among other good things the new municipal bath house will materialize, also a fine playground adjoining the Washington school.

BLAME ME.

By T. M. CORNELL.

Over at the Point yesterday everything bore a holiday aspect. Met Mr. Moyle on the street going home to plant his garden. Most of the merchants went over to the exercises at the school. I took a friend around the Standard, but not inside, being a holiday, and he was impressed with the immensity of the proposition. He is from the East, and like all Easterners does not look for big things out here. But this casual view opened his eyes. He went away believing Richmond had a future.

Have you taken any films to 'Neddecker? Many of your pictures are worth enlarging. With a dollar's worth of work you get an \$8.10 free of charge.

We know that there are many clean men who would like a clean home. "Clean living makes clean thinking." This applies also in a

physical sense. See Mrs. L. M. Smith next to the postoffice at the Point for reservations.

Metropolitan service, stock not excellent in quality and variety of selections is assured patrons of all sizes.

Are you a Yank? If not try the Boston beans and brown bread at Conley's and you will know why we swear by them.

If all our friends at the Point were inoculated with the same spirit of optimism as our friend Conrade Neill, the Point would be a charming place to live. What he says is straight from the shoulder, and the years roll from back as water from a duck. The people over on the west side should be optimistic. What ever happens in Richmond, whether east, west, north or south, redounds to the benefit of all. There is not another place around the bay so fitted for the development. Every day sees the land grow where once the waters spread. Do you think that men who do big things are spending their money blindly? If so, you have another guess.

CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP.

FICTITIOUS NAME.
State of California,
County of Contra Costa—
We the undersigned hereby certify that we are partners transacting business at the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, under a fictitious name or designation not showing the names of the persons interested as partners in such business. That the aforesaid fictitious name or designation is **PIONEER BATTERY CO.**; that we as such partners are now and in the future will continue transacting the business of repairing and re-charging storage batteries for automobiles, and of buying and selling electric batteries of all kinds and automobile accessories, and will as such carry on the aforesaid business as such partners.

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CHARLES S. RENWICK, Richmond, California.
J. E. ROACH, Richmond, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 28th day of January, 1917.
CHARLES S. RENWICK,
J. E. ROACH,
State of California,
County of Contra Costa—
On this 28th day of January, 1917 before me, **E. E. CURTIS**, a Notary Public in and for said County of Contra Costa, personally appeared **Charles S. Renwick** and **J. E. Roach**, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this certificate first above written.
E. E. CURTIS,
(Seal) Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.
(Endorsed): Filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 28th day of January, 1917.
J. E. WELLS,
County Clerk,
S. WELLS,
Deputy Clerk.
First insertion Jan 31

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.
Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.
Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the 15th day of October, 1916, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m., and that unless paid before then in full, the same will be sold to satisfy the same.

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That the names in full and places of residence of all the members of such partnership as follows:
E. H. KUEFFER, Richmond, California.
CHARLES G. BACON, Richmond, California.
In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names, this 16th day of January, 1917.
E. H. KUEFFER,
CHARLES G. BACON,
State of California, County of Contra Costa—
On this 16th day of January, 1917, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, before me, **E. E. CURTIS**, a Notary Public in and for said County of Contra Costa, personally appeared **E. H. Kueffer** and **Charles G. Bacon**, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this certificate first above written.
(Seal) **E. E. CURTIS**,
Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.
Endorsed: Filed February 17, 1917.
J. E. WELLS, County Clerk. By **G. T. Barker**, Deputy Clerk.
First publication Jan. 23, 1917.
Last publication Feb. 21, 1917.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE AND COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

A. D. Andrade, plaintiff, vs. **C. B. Bulger**, defendant.
Notice of foreclosure of mortgage, and Commissioner's Sale.
Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure, made out of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on the 15th day of January, 1917, in the above entitled action, wherein **A. D. Andrade**, the above named plaintiff, obtained judgment and decree against **C. B. Bulger**, the above named defendant, on the 15th day of January, 1917, which said decree was, on the 18th day of January, 1917, recorded in Judgment Book No. 16 of said Court, at page 589, I, **A. E. Dunkel**, commissioner appointed to make sale of the property mentioned and described in said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, am commanded to sell: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit: Block numbered one (1) and two (2) in block numbered four (4) Andrade Addition Tract, as the same is designated and delineated on a map filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on the second day of August, 1906.

Notice is hereby given, That on Monday, the 19th day of February, 1917, at twelve o'clock m. of that day, in front of the County Court House, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, I will sell in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest thereon, at five per cent, to the highest and best bidder for cash, in Gold coin of the United States.
WILL S. ROBINSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.
A. E. DUNKEL, Commissioner.
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part Metro-Columbia wonderplay, in which Irene Fenwick, the popular and gifted stage and screen artist, is starred, will be the feature attraction at the Richmond theater today. This story was written especially for Miss Fenwick, and is admirably suited to her peculiar talents and charms. There is a strong supporting cast which includes such well known stage and screen stars as Robert Elliott, Mma. Genna Wakita, Roy Applegate, Roy Clair, Martin J. Faust, Willard Davidson, William Yarnance, R. A. Brees and Clark.

"The Child of Destiny," the five Elizabeth Le Roy. "The Child of Destiny" will mark Miss Fenwick's debut on the Metro program, but she will be remembered.

There are seven real dwarfs in the Famous Players adaptation of "Snow White," in which Marguerite Clark is starred. It is the Paramount Picture at the Richmond theater Wednesday and Thursday, where Creighton Hale, Dorothy Cumming, Lionel Braham and Alice Washburn appear in support of Miss Clark.